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Unemployment insurance claims for the week ending August 31, 2002

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There was a decrease in the number of regular unemployment insurance claims filed in Indiana during the week ending August 31, according to the Department of Workforce Development.

A total of 55,267 unemployment claims were filed during the week. This was down 1,503 from the preceding week. In the same week one year ago, 52,857 unemployment claims were filed.

Initial UI claims totaled 5,283 a decrease of 958 under the preceding week's total. Layoffs were reported at one wire manufacturing plant, one engine parts plant and one motor vehicle-related plant during the week.

Continued UI claims were down to 49,403. The remainder of total unemployment claims were filed by federal civilian employees and ex-military personnel.

UI Benefit STATS

Regular state & federal benefits paid	\$10,825,162
EUC benefits paid	\$2,690,226
Regular benefits paid year to date	\$518,005,017
Trust fund balance	\$1,232,200,509

Unemployment Insurance Trends

